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The University of Nebraska
at Omaha

August Commencement 1995

Commencement

University of Nebraska at Omaha

Fieldhouse
August 12, 1995
9:30 a.m.

*...to those who dedicate their lives to
the high calling of instruction
to all students who shall here
learn to earn a living
and to live a cultured life
not as two processes
but as one ...*

PROGRAM

PRELUDE.....Palladium Brass Quintet

PROCESSIONAL
March #2.....Elgar

Please rise when the academic procession enters
and remain standing through the invocation.

PRESIDING.....Chancellor Del D. Weber

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM
The Star Spangled Banner.....Key

Please join in singing, led by
Mr. Michael Lewis, Graduate Assistant, Music Department.

INVOCATION.....Reverend Phil Owen

United Ministries for Higher Ed.

WELCOME.....Chancellor Del D. Weber

REGENTS' WELCOME.....Regent Charles Hassebrook
Member, Board of Regents

WELCOME TO ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.....Mr. Harold Kosowsky
President, UNO Alumni Association

PRESENTATION OF THE CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL.....Chancellor Del D. Weber
To Mr. Jim L. Leslie

INTRODUCTION OF COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER.....Chancellor Del D. Weber

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS.....Dr. Ullrich Littmann
Former Executive Director of the
Fulbright Commission in Germany
"The Scholar, the Country, and the World"

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE.....Chancellor Del D. Weber
Doctor of Humane Letters to Dr. Ulrich Littmann

INTRODUCTION OF ACADEMIC DEANS.....Dr. Ernest J. Peck
Vice Chancellor, Academic Affairs

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES.....Academic Deans
AND

CONFERRING OF DEGREES.....Chancellor Del D. Weber

Doctor of Philosophy,
Doctor of Education and Master's.....Vice Chancellor Ernest J. Peck

Bachelor's
Arts and Sciences.....Interim Dean John Flocken
Engineering and Technology.....Interim Associate Dean Gary B. Keefer
Education.....Dean Richard B. Flynn
Business Administration.....Interim Dean Judith Watanabe
Continuing Studies.....Dean Mary Bruning
Public Affairs and Community Service.....Assistant Dean Joanne A. Lofton
Fine Arts.....Dean Karen White
Human Resources and Family Sciences.....Associate Dean Bill Meredith

REMARKS.....Chancellor Del D. Weber

BENEDICTION.....Reverend Phil Owen

RECESSIONAL
Rondeau.....Mouret

For the safety and convenience of our guests and out of respect for our graduates, we ask that members of the audience refrain from leaving their seats, congregating near the stage or exiting prior to the close of our ceremonies. A professional photographer and videographer will record graduates as they cross the stage. These photos and tapes are available from the vendors. Thank you for your cooperation.

PLATFORM PARTY

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| 1. Dr. Del D. Weber
Chancellor
University of Nebraska at Omaha | 2. Dr. Ernest J. Peck
Vice Chancellor, Academic Affairs and
Dean of Graduate Studies |
| 3. Dr. Ulrich Littmann
Commencement Speaker
Honorary Degree Recipient | 4. Regent Charles Hassebrook
Member, Board of Regents
University of Nebraska |
| 5. Mr. Jim L. Leslie
Chancellor's Medal Recipient | 6. Mr. Harold Kosowsky
President
UNO Alumni Association |
| 7. Reverend Phil Owen
United Ministries for
Higher Education | 8. Dr. Mary A. Mudd
Interim Vice Chancellor
Educational & Student Services |
| 9. Ms. Joanne A. Lofton
Assistant Dean
Public Affairs & Community Service | 10. Dr. Gary B. Keefer
Interim Associate Dean
Engineering & Technology |
| 11. Dr. Judith Watanabe
Interim Dean
Business Administration | 12. Dr. Richard Thill
Associate Dean
Graduate Studies & Research |
| 13. Dr. Mary Bruning
Dean
Continuing Studies | 14. Dr. Bill Meredith
Associate Dean
Human Resources & Family Sciences |
| 15. Dr. John Flocken
Interim Dean
Arts & Sciences | 16. Dr. David Corbin
President
Faculty Senate |
| 17. Dr. Richard B. Flynn
Dean
Education | 18. Mr. Robert Runyon
Director
University Library |
| 19. Dr. Karen White
Dean
Fine Arts | 20. Mr. Thomas Gouttierre
Dean
International Studies & Programs |

Faculty Marshal:
Dr. Deborah Smith-Howell
Arts & Sciences

Ushers:

Staci Croom
Sharon Darling
Mark Goldsberry

Rita Henry
Dawn Hurlburt

Reader:
Steve Adair

UNO Ambassadors:

Burke Allgood
Tammy Ra Jackson

Ekoka Molindo
William Owens

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ACADEMIC REGALIA

Identification of the hood and robe as academic apparel is believed to have originated at the English universities of Oxford and Cambridge during the twelfth and thirteenth centuries. The hoods are a carry-over from the times when monks, who operated these universities, wore them to protect their shaved heads in winter. The robe is an adaptation of the shoulder cape also worn by these same monks while collecting alms.

Use of the academic robe came to the United States in 1754 with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895, a commission of University officials adopted a universal code of design and color for the academic garb. This code has undergone several revisions in subsequent years.

Styling of the robes varies for the bachelor's and master's degrees with the width of sleeve borders and length of the hood increasing with each advanced degree. Hoods are normally not used for bachelor's degrees today. Instead, the tassel colors are used to indicate the degree program.

GRADUATION TASSEL COLORS

College of Arts and Sciences	
Master of Arts	White
Master of Arts for Teachers of Mathematics	White
Master of Science	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Arts	White
Bachelor of Science	Golden Yellow
College of Engineering and Technology	Orange
Associate	Grey-Blue
College of Education	Light Blue
Specialist in Education	Light Blue
College of Business Administration	
Master of Business Administration	Drab (Nugget)
Master of Business Administration: Executive MBA	Drab (Nugget)
Master of Professional Accounting	Drab (Nugget)
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration	Drab (Nugget)
College of Continuing Studies	Black
College of Public Affairs and Community Service	
Master of Public Administration	Peacock Blue
Master of Social Work	Citron
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Public Administration	Peacock Blue
Bachelor of Science in Social Work	Citron
Bachelor of Science in Urban Studies	Golden Yellow
College of Fine Arts	
Master of Music	Pink
Bachelor of Arts in Art History	White
Bachelor of Arts in Dramatic Arts	White
Bachelor of Fine Arts	Brown
Bachelor of Music	Pink
College of Human Resources and Family Sciences	Maroon

UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM

The University Honors Program is an all-University program which provides maximum educational opportunities for students of high ability through special multidisciplinary seminars and participation in an academic level not generally possible in usual curricular offerings.

The program is an outgrowth of the Arts and Sciences Honors program and was initiated in 1978. It is governed through the office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and administered through the Honors Coordinator. UNO colleges which implement honors programs include Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Fine Arts and Public Affairs and Community Service.

As part of their Honors Program requirements, students undertake a research project that results in a Senior Honors Thesis. Students and their theses topics are listed at the end of the list of graduates. Students who have been designated in this booklet as Honors Program students have fulfilled the academic requirements of this program.

MEDALLION COLORS

Students receiving their baccalaureate degree with honors will be presented medallions in the colors designated.

Summa Cum Laude	Red/White
Magna Cum Laude	White
Cum Laude	Red

OMICRON DELTA KAPPA

Active student members of the UNO Circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, the National Leadership Honor Society, shall be recognized by the blue, white and black honor cords, the official colors of the society.

PI GAMMA MU

The blue and white cords with the blue tassels honor the graduating members of Pi Gamma Mu, International Honor Society in Social Science.

GRADUATE COLLEGE

This list includes the names of persons who are candidates for degree as of July 28, 1995.

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Ravi Krishnachary Devalapura, BE, Bangalore University, 1987; ME, Bangalore University, 1989; MS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1992; Ph.D. in the Interdepartmental Area of Engineering (Civil Engineering) at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. "Development of Prestressed Clay Brick Masonry Walls"; Dissertation Co-Advisers: Dr. Gary L. Krause and Dr. Maher K. Tadros

Karen Kangas Dwyer, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Ph.D. in Community and Human Resources at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. "Communication Apprehension and Individual Learning Style Preference: Correlations and Dimensions"; Dissertation Adviser: Dr. James A. Thorson

Earl H. Faulkner, BA, Hastings College, 1985; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Ph.D. in the Interdepartmental Area of Psychological and Cultural Studies at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. "Quality of Life: A Comparative Study of Institutional and Community-Based Care for Adults with Mental Retardation"; Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Joseph C. LaVoie

Deborah M. Irvin, BA, Temple University, 1970; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Ph.D. in the Interdepartmental Area of Psychological and Cultural Studies at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. "Psychosocial and Cultural Predictors of Alcohol Use Among African American and Caucasian Adolescents"; Dissertation Co-Advisers: Dr. Stanley Vasa and Dr. John W. Maag

Wade Andrew Robinson, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1989; MA, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1992; Ph.D. in Administration, Curriculum and Instruction at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. "ACT Variables, Athletic Participation and College Graduation Rates"; Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Ward Sybouts

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Patricia Ann Frampton, BA, Union College, 1975; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1979; Ed.S., University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Ed.D. in Community and Human Resources at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. "Reported Predictors of Conflict Behaviors Among Seventh Grade Middle School Students"; Dissertation Co-Advisers: Dr. Peter T. Suzuki and Dr. Ann Coyne

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION

David Michael Kaslon, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1979; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1983; Educational Administration and Supervision, "Assessing the Effects of Cooperative Learning on Student Opinions of Mainstreamed Special Education Students"; Field Project Adviser: Dr. Thomas A. Petrie

Timothy Roger Maher, BA, Creighton University, 1990; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; School Psychology, "A More Stringent Criterion for Mental Disability Verification: Implications for Iowa and the Green Valley Area Education Agency"; Field Project Adviser: Dr. Norman A. Hamm

Stephen L. Schwiesow, BAED, Wayne State College, 1979; MSED, Wayne State College, 1982; School Psychology, "Child Abuse Reporting: Characteristics of the Type of Abuse, Gender, and Disclosure on Likelihood of Reporting by Iowa School Psychologists"; Field Project Adviser: Dr. Norman H. Hamm

MASTER OF ARTS

John Louis Beckenhauer, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992; Biology, "Phosphorothioate-Oligonucleotide-Mediated Mutagenesis in *Drosophila melanogaster*"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Bruce A. Chase

Paul G. Bellus, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Communication, "The Rhetoric of Poverty and Supreme Court Discourse: A Content Analysis of Selected Supreme Court Opinions from 1989 -1994"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Robert E. Carlson

Mary G. Catton, BSN, Bishop Clarkson College of Nursing, 1986; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Michael G. Clegg, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1993; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Lars Eide, BA, University of Oslo, 1992; Economics, "An Evaluation of the Toll Ring in Oslo, Norway"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Donald N. Baum

Margaret Mary Esser, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Biology, "Using the Polymerase Chain Reaction to Identify mRNAs Specific to Development in *Dictyostelium mucoroides*"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. A. Thomas Weber

Rodney L. Fraser, BSCJ, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1981; Geography, "Change Detection of Wetlands in the Sandhills of Nebraska Using Landsat MSS Imagery"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jeffrey S. Peake

Gerald C. Fritz, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Communication

Scott Wayne Hyland, BS, University of Mary, 1990; BS, University of Mary, 1993; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

John Carl Johanson, BS, University of South Dakota, 1991; Psychology, "Effects of Gender and Perceived Identifiability on Whistle-Blowing Behavior"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. James M. Thomas

Mary Elizabeth Brown Kentis, BA, University of Nevada, 1967; MFA, Catholic University of America, 1983; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Jeannette Aileen Lant, BA, University of Northern Colorado, 1982; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

John William Lent, BA, Auburn University at Montgomery, 1981; History, "Aviation Pioneer: Brigadier General Frank P. Lahm and His Contributions to the Development of American Air Power"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Bruce Garver

Lisa Anne Linder-Stephenson, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1985; Biology, "The Thymic Myoid Cell of the Western Plains Garter Snake, *Thamnophis radix* (Reptilia: Colubridae): Histochemical, Immunohistochemical, and Electron Microscopical Observations"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. James D. Fawcett

Diane Louise Miller, BSE, Missouri Southern State College, 1992; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Nicholas L. Nownes, BA, California State University, Northridge, 1993; English

Charles Joseph Oborny, BA, Creighton University, 1992; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Victor James Paul, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Communication, "The War in the Gulf: Access and Photographic Coverage During the Crisis"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Michael Sherer

Matthew Erin Plowman, BA, Dana College, 1993; History, "Doors Left Open then Slammed Shut: The German Colonization of Southwest Africa and the Anglo-German Rivalry, 1883-1915"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Richard Overfield

Pamela Jo Thompson, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1989; Agency Counseling, "A Comparative Study of Counseling Theories & Techniques Used by Practicum Students and Former Graduates"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Joe L. Davis

Kathleen Anne Vampola, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992; Communication, "A Study of Broadcast-Industry Personnel's Sources of Occupational Stress and Interest in Worksite Stress Management Techniques"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Michael L. Hilt

Rachel Ann Wolk, BA, University of Minnesota, 1992; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Jane Ruth Yetley-Hittner, BA, William Penn College, 1983; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Ellen Marie Zinn, BS, University of Minnesota, 1993; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Elena Vladimirovna Ageeva, BSED, Tyumen State University, 1983; School Counseling/Secondary Level

Barbara Jo Allgood, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1974; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Renee Lynn Arbogast-Bowman, BS, Missouri Southern State College, 1990; Agency Counseling

Paul E. Barnes, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1988; School Counseling/Secondary Level

Scott Allen Beckler, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1990; Secondary Education

Jamie Lea Beran, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Elementary Education

Bharti Bhatia, BSEE, Jamia Millia Islamia, 1990; Computer Science

Emerita Mercedes Bouzon, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1980; Secondary Education

April Lynn Bridwell, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Elementary Education

Joyce Ann Bruning, BS, Kansas State University, 1987; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Charles Jay Burney, BAED, Wayne State College, 1984; Educational Administration and Supervision

Vincene Marie Bushnell, BSED, University of New Mexico, 1973; Teaching the Mentally Retarded

Yao Cai, BE, Shanghai Institute of Mechanical Engineering, 1983; Computer Science, "Pattern Classification Based on Multi-Hyperellipsoid Clustering"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Qiuming Zhu

Ronald Anthony Capleton, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1983; Agency Counseling

Elizabeth Jean Carey, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; School Psychology

Kathleen Ann Cecil, BS, University of Southern Mississippi, 1975; Reading

In-Soon Cha, Bachelor, Pierson Theological College & Seminary, 1991; Urban Studies

Ann Celeste Keller Chambers, BS, Northeast Louisiana University, 1975; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "Tobacco Control Activity of Iowa Dental Hygienists"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. David E. Corbin

Mary Margaret Connell-Langenfeld, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Behavioral Disorders

Diane Kay Moomey Cox, BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1974; Secondary Education

Lynda L. Darling, BPS, Bellevue University, 1991; Agency Counseling

Cheryl Heller DeWispelare, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1986; School Psychology

Joan Marie Edwards, BSHE, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1978; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1981; Speech-Language Pathology

Lisa E. Eisenmenger, BS, College of Saint Mary, 1994; Elementary Education

Mary Kay Elias, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1984; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Mary Megan Elson, BS, Creighton University, 1993; Elementary Education

Janet L. Fleming, BAED, Wayne State College, 1985; Agency Counseling

Delores Spears Galloway, BS, Southern University, 1965; MS, University of Minnesota, 1969; Agency Counseling

Barbara Jean Gent, BA, University of Iowa, 1971; Elementary Education

Linda Ann Weise Gerken, BSED, Concordia Teachers College, 1971; Elementary Education

Stuart Alan Giller, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1976; Secondary Education

Lori Rachel Rosenfield Glenn, BA, University of Central Florida, 1991; MPA, Angelo State University, 1993; Urban Studies

Marianne Teresa Greco-Whitcomb, BS, Creighton University, 1983; Speech-Language Pathology

Gina Kay Green, BA, Boise State University, 1994; Elementary Education

Daniel Aaron Greenhill, BS, Drake University, 1993; Industrial/Organizational Psychology

Leon D. Haith, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1981; BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1985; Educational Administration and Supervision

Margaret S. Hladik, BA, Saint Mary College, 1970; Secondary Education

Alisa Jo Hoffman, BSHR, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Secondary Education

Gayle B. Hope, BA, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 1991; Agency Counseling

Deanna Michelle Hughes, BA, Indiana University, 1989; Speech-Language Pathology

James Patrick Jennings, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1981; Educational Administration and Supervision

Jennifer Patterson Johnson, BHS, University of Missouri-Columbia, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology

Janet D. Katz, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Reading

Daniel Mark Kingkade, BME, Drake University, 1975; Agency Counseling

Teresa Ann Knowlton, BA, University of Missouri-Kansas City, 1985; Secondary Education

Jeffrey Gordon Kuhr, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "Behavioral and Medical Modifications Among Public Screening Participants with High Cholesterol Levels"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. David E. Corbin

Colleen Ann Kurlmel, BS, Morningside College, 1982; Educational Administration and Supervision

Caralee Linden, BS, Iowa State University, 1988; Agency Counseling

Anne M. Lockard, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Elementary Education

Joy Cavell Loges, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Elementary Education

Alan T. Lunzman, BSED, Peru State College, 1985; Secondary Education

Michele Renae Madson, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1990; Elementary Education

Stacey Renee Maloy, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Elementary Education

Ann Marie Manchester, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Secondary Education

Corey Michael McGeary, BS, Methodist College, 1993; Agency Counseling

Jolynn Kae Meier, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1991; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Rory Alan Meier, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1986; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Sheila Marie Merkel, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology

Misty Kay Miller, BS, Colorado State University, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology

Linda Mary Milliken, BAED, Wayne State College, 1982; Educational Administration and Supervision

Michael Leland Mingo, BS, Drake University, 1986; Educational Administration and Supervision

Amy Lynn Mommsen, BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1990; Elementary Education

Ron L. Moran, BA, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1986; School Counseling/Secondary Level

Krista Lee Moravec, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1972; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Maria del Socorro Neesman, BSED, University of Akron, 1981; Behavioral Disorders

Glenn M. Nelson, BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1981; Reading

Terry Anne Nelson-Kerrey, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1981; Elementary Education

Janet Lee Nesmith, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1979; Behavioral Disorders

Julie Anne Nielsen, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992; Elementary Education

Laurie Lee Nielsen, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1987; Secondary Education

Maijd Nielsen, BA, Dana College, 1993; Secondary Education

Kimberly Piatt Noddle, BSED, University of Kansas, 1986; Elementary Education

Julie Marie Novak, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology

Barbara Ann Nylin, BA, Trinity College, 1994; Elementary Education

Jean Marie Pane, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1991; Elementary Education

David James Patton, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1991; Educational Administration and Supervision

Kris J. Pearrow, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Elementary Education

Stephen D. Pelzer, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Behavioral Disorders

F. Michael Pitt, BA, Buena Vista College, 1984; Educational Administration and Supervision

Lynn Couvillon Poly, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Secondary Education

Laurie Ann Potter, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Elementary Education

Marjorie L. Reed, BSED, University of Wisconsin, 1988; Elementary Education

Kimberley Ann Rhen, BS, Iowa State University, 1991; Agency Counseling

Cheryl Bird Richardson, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1966; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Michael Eugene Richardson, BS, Texas A & M University, 1984; Computer Science

Julie Marie Shald, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1988; School Counseling/Secondary Level

Rebecca Lynn Sharpe, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Elementary Education

Kerry Lynne Simmons, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Elementary Education

Kathleen Elizabeth Sindt, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Elementary Education

Alice Brooks Smith, BS, Creighton University, 1978; Elementary Education

Kendall Lee Steffensen, BSED, Peru State College, 1989; Educational Administration and Supervision

Kathleen Ann Stofko, BS, Creighton University, 1989; Computer Science

Laurie Ann Stowe, BAED, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1972; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Amy Marie Sullivan, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Elementary Education

Steven John Swartout, BS, University of South Dakota, 1980; Educational Administration and Supervision

Pamela Dawn Taylor, BS, Methodist College, 1992; Agency Counseling

Shannon Adele Thoendel, BSED, Northwest Missouri State University, 1992; Elementary Education

Heather K. Thompson, BAED, Wayne State College, 1994; Elementary Education

Kara Marie Thompson, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology

Kathleen M. Tinnes, BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1992; Elementary Education

Claudianna Hawkins Todd, BS, Winthrop College, 1966; Educational Administration and Supervision

Mary Hufford Vondra, BSN, Bishop Clarkson Memorial Hospital College of Nursing, 1984; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "The Effects of Outdoor-Based Experiential Education on Team Building"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Richard D. Stacy

Deanna Kathryn Waller, BS, Creighton University, 1992; Elementary Education

Elizabeth Lynne Wax, BA, University of Kansas, 1992; Speech-Language Pathology

Michelle Marie Welsh, BSHE, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992; Elementary Education

Marsha Annette Wiese, BAED, Wayne State College, 1969; Secondary Education

Jolene Anne Wilkinson, BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1980; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Brian W. Williams, BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1989; Behavioral Disorders

Debra Lynn Wilson, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Elementary Education

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

LeAnn Marie Buesing, BS, Wayne State College, 1992

Suwanna Chotikaparakai, BS, Chulalongkorn University, 1992

Lori A. Friedman, BSBA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1989

Vicki Jo Hunzeker, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1979

Kevin Michael Kumsher, BS, Iowa State University, 1986

Dianne Emma Palik, BS, Wayne State College, 1981

Kimberly Ann Repichowskyj, BSB A, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993

Robert B. Schmoll, BA, Dana College, 1983

Sunisa Techawichien, LLB, Thammasat University, 1991

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION: EXECUTIVE MBA

Adrian Manuel Alvarez, BS, Bradley University, 1989

Lawrence E. Ciecior, BSEE, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1971

Gregory Grant Crawford, BS Agr, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1985

Katherine L. English, BSN, University of Texas at Arlington, 1976; MSN, University of Texas at Arlington, 1987

John Sibley George, BA, Wheaton College, 1978; BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1983

Yolande S. Koval, BSBA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1978

Anita Marie Larsen, BSN, Midland Lutheran College, 1993

Kristin K. Lutz, BS, Peru State College, 1986

Serge R. Martinod, Diploma of Veterinary Doctor, University of Lyon I, 1981; Doctor 3rd Cycle of Applied Ecology, Scientific and Medical University of Grenoble, 1983

Karen Lynn Pfeiffer, BA, Creighton University, 1982

John Frederick Salzmann, BSIE, University of Missouri-Columbia, 1980

Steven James Sypal, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1982

Bridget Anne Young, BSN, Creighton University, 1975

MASTER OF MUSIC

Teresa Marie Paal, BMED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1980; "Outreach to Underserved Children by Selected Community-Based Children's Choirs"; Thesis- Equivalent Project Adviser: Dr. Z. Randall Stroope

MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING

Dara Jean Spivack, BA, Indiana University, 1971; MLS, Indiana University, 1973

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Timothy Benetti, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1988

Jennifer Lee Cardwell, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1976

Janet Carlson Cole, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Clark Raymond Crinklaw, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989

Norene Kay Hedrick, BA, Briar Cliff College, 1990

Lyn Meridew Holley, BA, American University, 1965

Joanna McGuirk Lindberg, BA, Creighton University, 1971

Chunghua Liu, BLA, South China Normal University, 1988

Jamison Lynn Lucchino, BA, Creighton University, 1992

Sybrina Lynn Moody, BS, Iowa State University, 1990

Jeffrey C. Peterson, BPS, Bellevue University, 1991

Kevin Allen Priest, BA, Hastings College, 1992

Lucy A. Reno, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992

Katherine Ann Saniuk, B A, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1983

Kathryn Ann Selle, BPS, Bellevue University, 1990

Malinda Ruth Stanley, BS, College of Saint Mary, 1990

Evell Yolanda Thomas, BSW, Creighton University, 1980
Ellen Freeman Wakefield, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Cheryl L. Walsh, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Michele E. Weitzel, BSBA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1986

Kenneth A. Zarybnicky, BA, Tarkio College, 1990

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Teresa Dawn Atz-Mason, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1988

Jeanette Rose Banahan, BS, Emporia State University, 1983;
BSW, Washburn University of Topeka, 1990

Jennifer Ann Barabas, BA, Dana College, 1992

Monica L. Blizek, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992

David Alvin Cockson, BA, Hastings College, 1973;
M.Div., University of St. Thomas, 1987

Maria De Jesus Garcia Vazquez, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992

Beth Elaine Harms, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1973

Sandra Ann Herzog, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Kylee Stuart Horrocks, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1984

Shirley Ruth Jones, BA, Sioux Falls College, 1983

Katherine Regina Keenan, BS, University of South Dakota, 1989

Konnie Renee Kirchner, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Darlakae McGhee-Mahon, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1980

Jennifer Chaya Meyerson, BA, University of Kansas, 1992

Joan M. Rutten, BA, Wayne State College, 1988

Lorraine Suzanne Seufert, BA, Briar Cliff College, 1981
Cynthia G. Hollister Sorensen, BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1982

Ann Mallory Teal, BA, Eastern Montana College, 1991

Dan R. Whitney, BA, Buena Vista College, 1972

LisaJ. Wordekemper,BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1989

DEGREES WITH HONORS

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Bachelor of Arts

Summa Cum Laude

Roxann Renee Dzur

Magna Cum Laude

Tanya Jacqueline Beckerman
Teri L. Sturgeon

Cum Laude

Angela J. Wall

Bachelor of Science

Magna Cum Laude

Susan Elizabeth McElligott
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COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Summa Cum Laude

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Cum Laude

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COLLEGE OF CONTINUING STUDIES

Bachelor of General Studies

Summa Cum Laude

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Magna Cum Laude

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Scott Edward Hayes
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Magna Cum Laude

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Cum Laude

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Gregory Keith Wilson

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Bachelor of Science in Education

Magna Cum Laude

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Amy Vondra Hurt
DeAnn Marlene Lockett

Cum Laude

Jerel Ann Geren
Kimberly Anne Mahoney

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY

Bachelor of Science in Engineering Technology

With Distinction

David James Engel

COLLEGE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

Magna Cum Laude

Lincoln Campus

Petra Maria Smith

Cum Laude

Machelle Ann Noe
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COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Magna Cum Laude

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A Process for Working with At-Risk Youth"

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College of Arts and Sciences
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Bachelor of Fine Arts
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College of Arts and Sciences
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Bachelor of Science in Education
College of Education
Kimberly Anne Mahoney

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Yuka Goda
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Emilie Mae Oltman
Mordecai Schwartz
George Timothy Shestak
Mary Teresa Steffen
Teri L. Sturgeon
Angela J. Wall
Brad J. Wardell
Lynette C. Welch

Bachelor of Science

Lane Allan Andresen
Matthew Eldon Arnold
Lisa Michelle Bowen
Rebecca Kay Brown
Robert Burks
Alicia Ann Caldwell
Reginald Keith Chapman
Christopher Charles Conn
Steven Tyler Cullen
Steven D. Daubendiek
Tracy Lynn Dillon
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Dale Gerard Fanta
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Kelley Lee Kun
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Kahraman Yesua Tovim
John Lewis White

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY

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Bachelor of Science in Engineering Technology

Michael Steven Bowen Jr.
Brian David Brink
David James Engel
Scott James Gilsdorf
Jerome R. Kabourek
Billy Joe Reed

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering

Thad William Mott
Lara Louis Zawaideh

Associate of Science in Engineering Technology

Harold Donaldson Jr.
Jeffrey Allen Krebs

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Education

Ruth A. Bahr
Cheryl L. Beebe
Kelly Connolly Berggren
Lynnea K. Citta
Susan L. DeWitt
Carrie Irene Gebbie
Jerel Ann Geren
Jo Anne Gumm
Michael Casper Hagedorn
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Gwen Marie Jochim
Kimberly Ann Krawczyk

DeAnn Marlene Lockett
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Kimberly Anne Mahoney
Timothy Joseph Masek
Miechelle Lynn McCarty-McKelvey
Adam Jeffrey Sortino
Michelle Lynn VanDeusen

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Garner Gillette Anderson
Billie Jo Antisdell
Demauris Elisa Arensdorf
Lisa Renae Avery
James Paul Becker
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Ramon Javier Bescansa
Karen A. Biben
Laurie Ann Bock
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Eugenis Ioannidis
Christine Marie Johnson
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Helen Mary Kleinsasser
Michelle A. Kohl
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Lauren Hue Le
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John Wesley Marshbanks II
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 Joseph Edward Sutter
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 Theodore Joseph Tabaka
 Scott Anthony Trueman
 Heather Lynn Tuttle
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COLLEGE OF CONTINUING STUDIES

Bachelor of General Studies

James Michael Abbott
 Patty Mikayla Alvarez
 Elaine E. Anderson
 Jay Edward Baker
 Adrian Chisholm Barber
 P. Brian Beach
 Joseph Edward Beam
 Philip Beda
 Stephen Raymond Bennett Jr.
 Mark David Benson
 Sheila Ranae Brown Black
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 Kimberly Kay Grasmick
 Theodore John Greguska
 David Anthony Hanzek

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COLLEGE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

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 Petra Maria Smith
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Bachelor of Science in Social Work

Marsha J. Buckley
 Jill Marie Hassenstab

Bachelor of Science in Urban Studies

Annette Crowder
 Michael Anthony Franks

COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

Bachelor of Arts in Art History

Tiffany R. Colquette
 Carolyn K. Ducey

Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art

Lisa Marie Haney
 Adam Douglas Paige

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Angela Rose Eischeid

COLLEGE OF HUMAN RESOURCES AND FAMILY SCIENCES

*(Degrees awarded by
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Bachelor of Science in Human Resources and Family Sciences

Connie Campbell
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HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT AND SPEAKER

ULRICH LITTMANN, PH.D.

Dr. Littmann was born in Wolfen, Bitterfeld, Germany. He specialized in history, economics, sociology and physics at the University of Gottingen where he received his doctoral degree in 1962. The subject of his dissertation was United States Black History. He has devoted most of his professional life to building vital, productive linkages among academic communities, not only in Germany and the United States, but also in Europe and other parts of the world. His name is legendary in international circles related to the Fulbright Program.

He began his distinguished career as executive officer of the International House at the University of Gottingen, moving on to become the chief of the German Program Unit at the German Fulbright Commission. He became executive director of the Commission in 1963 and held that position until his retirement in 1993. Recognized as an expert on international exchange programs, he served on a number of commissions and bilateral task forces that developed and enhanced exchange programs. The German Fulbright Program is now the largest of the 120 programs around the world. His numerous contributions have been recognized by German and United States universities. As a result of interactions with Dr. Littmann, a significantly higher number of students from Germany are now coming to study at the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO), both through sponsored and non-sponsored means. In addition, a formal link has been established between UNO and Rostock University.

Following the reunification of Germany, Dr. Littmann successfully promoted the exchange of former East Germans with the United States so that they could readily understand, learn and adapt to the democratic ideals of America. In conjunction with the United States ambassador to Germany, an Ambassadorial Scholarship Program was established for undergraduates from the former East Germany. Two of the first four scholarships were awarded to UNO. Such awards have continued and been augmented with Fulbright awards.

In recognition of his efforts as a builder of international academic relationships, it is with great pleasure and respect that Dr. Ulrich Littmann is awarded the honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree.

THE CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL

The Chancellor's Medal of the University of Nebraska at Omaha was established to recognize the contributions of faculty and administrative staff which are a mixture of academic prowess, physical vigor, the ability to visualize social structure and an applied sense of humanity.

People are responsible for the growth of vitality of institutions. At the University of Nebraska at Omaha we are fortunate to have men and women who have accepted this charge. They have a belief in the University's destiny and this dedication has resulted in a kind of genius that merits special attention. The Chancellor's Medal is one means of recognizing these people. It is bestowed only to those within the University community who have demonstrated unusual excellence.

CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL RECIPIENT

JIM L. LESLIE

Jim L. Leslie was born in Omaha, Nebraska. He received his BA (1963) in history from the University of Omaha. Mr. Leslie entered the professional world as a life insurance underwriter in 1964 at United of Omaha. He became director of work planning and evaluation in the personnel department in 1972. In 1973, he was appointed executive director of the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO) Alumni Association.

Since that time, Mr. Leslie has been instrumental in developing numerous Alumni Association programs, scholarships and awards. The most recent highlight has been the completion of the W.H. Thompson Alumni Center. Other Alumni Association accomplishments include the expansion of the Alumni Scholarship Program to 150 scholarships, the implementation of an on-line records system to monitor over 65,000 alumni records, the Annual Fund Drive expanded to over \$1 million yearly, a reformatted alumni magazine that exceeds 50,000 copies quarterly and the initiation of the UNO Athletic Hall of Fame awards and banquet program.

Mr. Leslie has lent his leadership skills to other campus concerns. He is a member of the Chancellor's Executive Staff, served as chairman of the Non-Academic Grievance Committee for two years, participated in the Chancellor's Commission on Strategic planning, served as a member of the Campus Steering Committee for North Central Accreditation and has led the Tower Club Nominations Committee since 1992.

A member of various professional and civic organizations, his history of involvement is marked by a concern for education and community. Mr. Leslie served as the District Conference Chair for the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) in 1981; he is the past president of the Omaha Jaycees from 1970 to 1971, the Gretna Optimist Club from 1986 to 1987 and the Gretna School Foundation from 1991 to 1992; and also has served as a board member of the Suburban Rotary, the Gretna Planning Commission and the Board of Trustees for the Mid-America Boy Scouts.

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